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FM AMEMBASSY CARACAS

TO DEA HQS WASHDC PRIORITY

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AMEMBASSY BOGOTA

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PASS TO R STUTMAN TRI STATE PASS TO C BUCK, S/NM

M WAMPLER SER INC G BROWN ARA

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TAGS: SNAR VE

SUBJ: TRAINING EVALUATION

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1. ALSO REFER TO CARACAS 4854, AND STATE 105129

2. TWO OF THE CANDIDATES WHO WILL BE ATTENDING THE PROPOSED INSTRUCTORS TRAINING IN SEP 1976 AS DISCUSSED WITH DEA & S/NM WILL BE FROM THE METROPOLITAN POLICE. THEIR TRAINING FACILITIES WILL BE SUBSEQUENTLY USED FOR PROVIDING NARCOTICS TRAINING TO STATE AND LOCAL OFFICERS. THE METROPOLITAN (CARACAS METROPOLITAN AREA) POLICE WILL CELEBRATE THE SEVENTH ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR TRAINING CENTER ON MAY 10. THIS ACTIVITY IS GENERALLY PRESIDED BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE FEDERAL DISTRICT AND DEA AND EMBASSY REPRESENTATIVES ATTEND.

3. TWO REPRESENTATIVES FROM OMB AND NIDA WILL BE CONDUCTING A FOLLOW-UP VISIT TO CARACAS ON MAY 9-15 AND WILL BE WORKING WITH THE VENEZUELAN INTERMINISTERIAL COMMISSION ON DRUG ABUSE.

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4. PRELIMINARY MEETINGS HAVE BEEN HELD WITH THE TECHNICAL JUDICIAL POLICE FOR CO-HOSTING THE CRIMINAL RESEARCH SCHOOL FOLLOW-UP PREPARATIONS ARE CONTINUING.

5. PRELIMINARY INQUIRIES ARE NOW BEING MADE IN COLOMBIA BY DEA ON THE POSSIBILITY OF HOLDING A MEETING THERE OF THE INTERNATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION IN JULY 1976.

6. PRESENTLY INTEREST ON THE PART OF VENEZUELAN OFFICIALS INVOLVED IN THE NARCOTICS EFFORT IS VERY HIGH AND IT WOULD BE CONVENIENT IF THE VISIT OF STUTMAN AND FASSLER COULD BE SCHEDULED TO COINCIDE WITH THE ACTIVITIES DESCRIBED IN PARAS 2 AND 3. WE SUGGEST MAY 9-12 FOR THIS VISIT. THE TEAM COULD THEN CONTINUE ON TO BOGOTA FOR FOLLOW-UP REF PARA 5.

7. ADVISE BY PRIORITY CABLE. DECON BY DEA ONLY FM BACHRACH. SHLAUDEMAM

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